

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
HIROSHI KASE, ET AL. ) : Examiner: Deirdre Renee Claytor  
Application No.: 10/553,250 ) : Group Art Unit: 1617  
Filed: October 17, 2005 ) : Confirmation No. 6976  
For: A METHOD OF TREATING AN ) :  
ANXIETY DISORDER : February 7, 2008

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 18, 2007 to February 18, 2008. A depository account payment of \$120.00 for payment of the extension fee has been paid concurrently herewith. Please charge any additional fee required and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.